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Should auld acquaintance be forgot, And never brought to min'?

-Robert Burns



There is greater encouragement for us in the least blessing we ourselves receive from God than in all

the accounts we can read of the faith and experience of others.

-E. G. White



Dedication

His earnest Christian influence, tenderhearted, sympathetic understanding, and deep devotion to the highest interests of the student body have permanently enshrined Elder Peterson in the hearts of all.

We esteem him highly for his versatility and his patience as an administrator, counsellor and friend.

Because we appreciate his lofty character and emulatory leadership, we respectfully and lovingly dedicate the 1950 "ACORN" to President Frank Loris Peterson.

Religion must still be allowed to be a collateral security to Virture.

—Philip D. Stanhope.





C. E. MOSELY Professor of Religion

E. E. ROGERS Instructor of Religion

C. T. RICHARDS Instructor of Religion

Religion

Two primary objectives lie back of the activities sponsored by the Department of Religion in the Oakwood College. Stemming from a carefully planned and concentrated program, the first objective is calculated to help every student to reveal in his person and life's pursuit the impression of an inspired evangel of truth. Secondly, for students aspiring to the Ministry and related fields of service, the Department provides specialized training and limited experience.

Students from this department occupy positions of leadership throughout the nation and in overseas mission service. Among the most successful clergymen

 $\boldsymbol{-\!\!\!\!-}$ Pastors and Evangelists $\boldsymbol{-\!\!\!\!-}$ are students from the Department of Religion of Oakwood College.



Class In Homiletics



O. B. EDWARDS Professor of History

History

J. J. JUSTICE Instructor of History

History, as the ground under the feet of all wise men, has assumed its place as one of the fundamental courses at Oakwood, Effectively conjoining the teaching and learning processes the Department of History develops the students' vision through the delineation of man's story preparing him to meet the problems of today's special orders with intelligence. In the upper biennium courses special emphasis is directed on independent study, research in historical problems and methods and the profluence of thought coupled with enthusiastic discussions bespeak the joy of scholarly minds. In order to equip the student with a

sound philosophy of life, the professors
are constantly aware of two statements, namely, "The Bible is the most
ancient and most comprehensive history that men possess . . .," and "The
Bible reveals the true philosophy of

Bible reveals the true philosophy of history."





HISTORIC BUILDING
U. S. President, Andrew Jackson, spoke from the balcony of "Old Mansion"

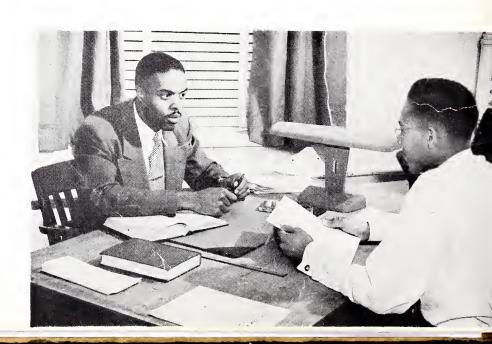


N. E. BURRELL Director of Education

Education

Oakwood's Department of Secondary Education is truly in its infancy, yet it feels that its growth will be comparatively fast. At present a resourceful group of young men and women are martriculated as students working toward the Bachelor of Arts degree in Secondary Education or a Bachelor of Science Degree in the same field. Students pursuing this course enjoy the opportunities afforded for cultural and intellectual development. This department maintains a place of dignity in the esteem of both students and faculty. The invitation of the Secondary Education Department is: "Won't you come and join in the nicest work ever committed to man — Secondary Education?"

G. R. PARTRIDGE Instructor of Education







MAJORS AND MINORS

Romance Languages

G. HUNTER, Professor of Romance Languages

"The man who speaks another language besides his own has another string to his bow."

With the fullest realization of the potency of this statement and an awareness of the opportunities open to potential language students in a modern world, the department of Romance Languages has very seriously devoted itself to the task of laying a thorough foundation in such mechanics of French and Spanish as will enable students to read, write. understand, and communicate their thoughts in these languages. By a study of the Literatures of the countries whose languages are taught, the aim is to make acquaintance with the most celebrated literary minds as well as give a knowledge of each country's civilzation and nationality. It is very gratifying to note that at the termination of the present school year, six students in this department will have completed their majors, one in French, five in Spanish. Of these, four are 1950 degree candi-

dates.



English

We have room for but one language here, and that is the English language, for we intend to see that the crucible turns our people out as Americans, and not as dwellers in a polyglot boarding house.

-Theodore Roosevelt.

E. B. DYKES Professor of English

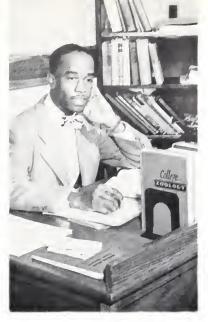
The English Department has for its objectives, first, the development of correctness and facility in the four phases of communication: writing, speaking, reading, and listening; and secondly, the fostering of appreciation in the student for the best and noblest in the great literary heritage of the world. Such training will not only make for the enjoyment of living but will contribute most vitally toward his rendering effective service in the Master's vineyard.



R. B. STOKES, Instructor of English



N. BANKS Professor of Chemistry



T. CANTRELL Instructor of Biology



W. K. JANG DHARI Student of Biology

It is with a great deal of anticipation that his fast growing department looks forward

to the new science building soon to be rected on the campus.

The importance of this department is eldom realized by individuals whose

interests are focused on a liberal education.
For the individuals in scientific pursuit,

this department offers many challenging opportunities. Pre-medical and pre-nursing

students are familiar with the merits as well as the needs of this department.

The enrollment and the supplies of the lepartment have been on the increase and

it is evident that new quarters will have be provided to take care of this increase.

The Anatomy and Biological Science classes nave long outgrown their present structure.

Notwithstanding the inconveniences, the classes are functioning well and making satisfactory progress.



CAT ANATOMY LABORATORY



AN EXPERIMENT



C. B. GENTRY Professor of Mathematics

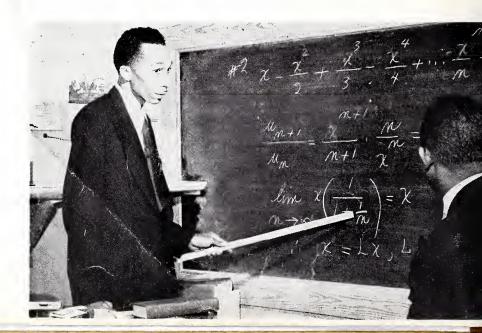
Mathematics

"He who knows not mathematics cannot know any other science."

—Bacon

"It is a remarkable fact that the mathematical inventions which have proved to be most accessible to the masses are also those which exercised the greatest influence on the development of pure mathematics."

This department is making rapid progress under the capable tutorship of C. B. Gentry. The aim is to give every student a good working knowledge of every day problems by instilling in the students the correct principles of solving mathematical problems and equations.





Political and economic changes brought about by disturbances of World War II make it highly necessary that the businessman of today be well-trained and highly skilled. The department of Commerce at Oakwood College recognizes the challenge presented by the demands of present-day business and has geared itself to furnish the answer.

The main purpose of the department is to train Secretaries for duties in Conference offices, Managers for Book and Bible Houses, and Treasurers for Conferences and Schools of the denomination.

The course is planned in such a way that the

graduates are prepared to give efficient service in any ramification of business which may offer opportunity in the secular field — private or governmental — as well as engage in business for themselves should they so desire.

This department has won two cups offered as trophies in the International Bookkeeping Contests

during the two past successive years. A long-felt need in our educational program is being filled by

this strongly developing department, and many students who are majoring in other fields of interest are including business courses in their curriculum.



T. LONGWARE, Instructor of Home Economics

Home Economics

The Oakwood College Home Economics Department offers courses in Child Care, Nutrition, Home

Management, Family Relationships, Consumer Education, Dress Designing, and Textiles.

A tour through the department might prove revealing to some. The sewing laboratory is equipped with

layout tables, storage space, and electric sewing machines. This room also provides working space

for the class in Interior Decorating. Problems for this class take us over the entire campus. The foods

laboratory, a work kitchen and dining room, is

equipped with seven units which can take care of fourteen students who spend a large portion of their time planning low, medium and high cost diets. The Child Care class uses the food's laboratory for class in conjunction with Trailerville which provides an excellent opportunity for studying diets for young children and babies. The aim of the department is to give students a preparation for one of the highest careers, that of home making. It senses this aim and accepts the challenge as it plans and builds the department for greater achievements.

The man that hath no music in himself,

Nor is not moved with concord of sweet

sounds,

Is fit for treasons, stratagems, and spoils; The motions of his spirit are dull as night, And his affections dark as Erebus.

Let no such man be trusted!

-Shakespeare.



E. JACKSON, Instructor of Music and Student J. MASTERS



M. LINDSAY, Organ Student

Music

"If music be the food of love, play on."
—Shakespeare

"Musical training is a mere potent instrument than any other, because rhythm and harmony find their way into the inward places of the soul, on which they mightily fashion."

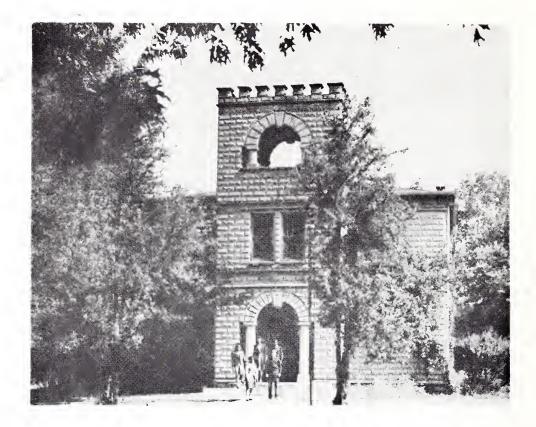
Plato



I. BOOTH, Instructor of Music

This department of the college is progressing satisfactorily. The instructors consider and make the music-minded student aware of what is happening in contemporary society so that he will be able to help solve musical problems that must be confronted. Every student enrolled in the department is placed in an environment of rich and varied musical talents. This provides outlet for outstanding ability and presents to the student the place music holds in Religion as well as the secular activities of life. The recitals and concerts given by The Music Department during the school year will long linger in the minds of the students.

Library



The library being always open, and the walks and reading-rooms about it free to all Greeks.

--Plutarch

Formal education applies its pattern to the mind, but only through books does the mind itself, enrich, deepen, apply, modify and develop those patterns in individual life fulfillment. There is no place where the intellectual tone of a college is more evident than in the library. Oakwood is anxious, therefore, that its library be used for study, and quiet dignified conduct is required of all who enter its portals. The administration strives to add worthwhile volumes with unrelenting regularity for circulation and for reference, and maintains subscriptions to over 200 periodicals and magazines. A group of well-trained, efficient assistants provides adequate library service and gives necessary help to students seeking information on topics for research. Attention is also given to building up collections of material by and about the Negro. A well-needed library building will be erected this year. Construction will commence during the Spring.

Non-Departmental

Fine Arts

Good painting is a music and a melody which intellect only can appreciate, and that with great difficulty.

-Michelangelo Buonarroti





T. C. BATTLE Student Instructor of Fine Arts

Left: Instructor BATTLE and Commercial Art Student C. EATON

In every heart there is an inherent love for beauty. We are made so that we respond to the ideal and the infinite even though we cannot and do not fully comprehend either. The beauty that we seek is definitely found in art where the artist deals exclusively with things as they af-

fect the human soul. Art is the interpretation of the great eternal real-

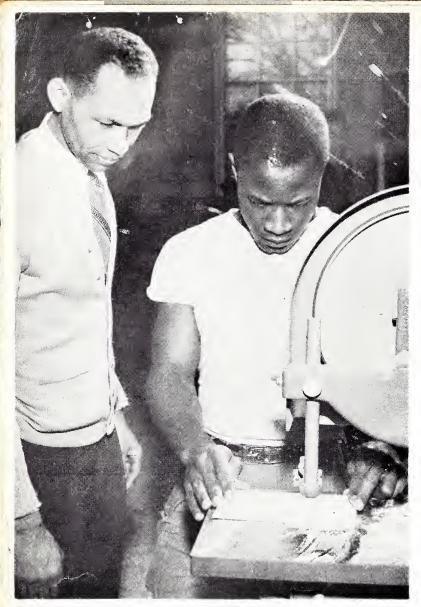
ities of life. Throughout the ages philosophers and intellectual men have been unable to agree about what and who Christ is; but human hearts

in every generation have united in love for this matchless personality in whom the ideal of all men, individually and collectively, is realized.

Here at Oakwood we feel that the universal love of beauty is one of the resources of human life that Christianity ought to pervade with its spirit, and claim as its own. No wonder John Keats declared: "Beauty is truth, and truth beauty."

Part of the class in Life Painting





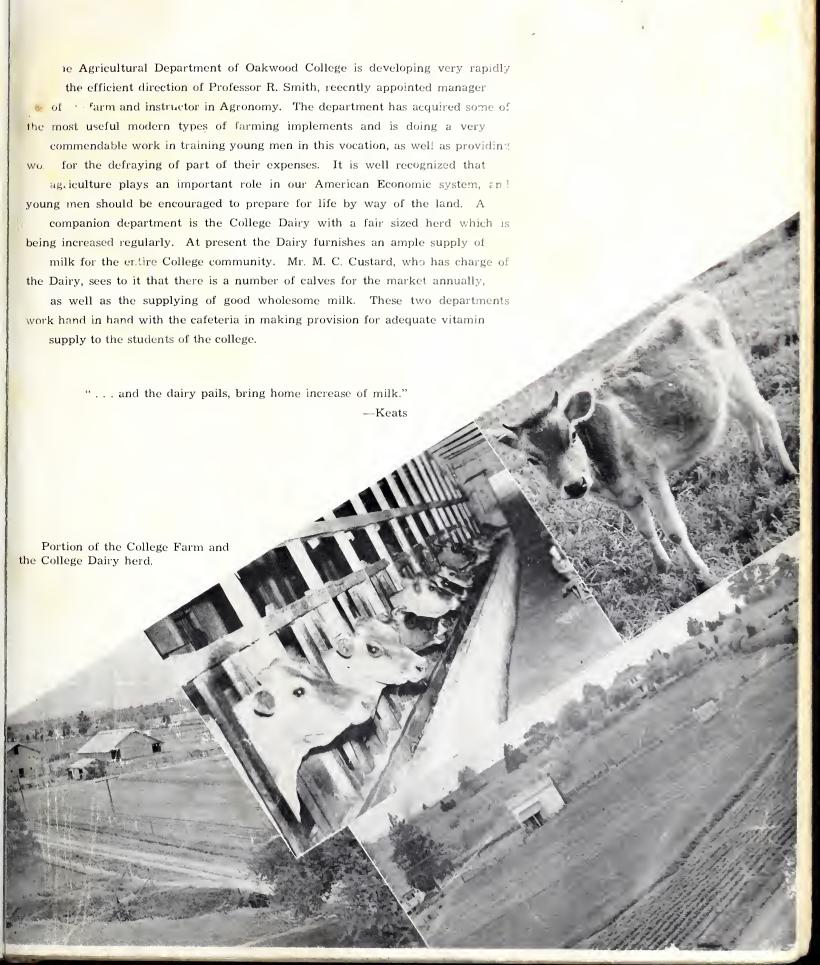
H. L. WRIGHT, Instructor of Industrial Arts, and Student, R. LAKE

Industrial Arts

The Department of Industrial Arts has for decades been the right arm of this College. It offers theory and practical work in the following fields: Carpentry, Mechanical Drawing, Woodworking, Brick Masonry and Cabinet Making. Students who desire a degree in the above fields may receive their preparatory training here. Under the capable supervision of Professor H. L. Wright, one receives proficient instruction and guidance. The responsibility of this department is the general maintenance of all buildings on the campus. This affords great opportunities for student workers to obtain a practical and working knowledge of the trade. Truly this is the department where sudents become

skilled workmen and learn to "build houses and inhabit them."

College Farm



College Cafeteria

Oh, God, that bread should be so dear,
And flesh and blood so cheap!

—Thomas Hood



B. B. ROWE, Matron

Three times daily, at 6:30 a.m., at 11.45 a.m., and at 5:30 p.m., stude their way from all parts of the cardy teria, with reluctance. It is from this "plant terial with terial workers spend long hours in the forty-five workers spend long hours in the are eagerly consumed in less than thirty minus accommodates about four hundred ninety students the Cafet malways keeps in mind the fact that "good digestion waiteth on applying the food on both," and therefore invites all to come, eat, and really live.



M. HARVEY
Instructor in Printing

College Press

July 1, 1949, marked the beginning of the College Press as a separate Department under the direction of Professor Murray J. Harvey. From that date, it has been assuming its own obligations. Practically all of the printing for the college is done by the College Press, as well as a fair amount of commercial work. Enlargement in plant space and additions to equipment are being made constantly. Recent additions include new fonts of type, stapler, and other printing material, and previous to this, an automatic feed 12x18 job press was purchased. A course in printing is offered as an incentive to young people who might desire this field for a life-work, and also to provide future workers for the College Press.

R. HOLNESS works . the job press street

Loo 's is



Infirmary



H. MOSELEY, R. N., College Nurse

The sick student is never cured with two aspirins and a glass of water. In our neat little infirmary on the first floor of the Teacher's home, East Hall, is an office and adequate equipment for the treatment of all types of minor ills. Some treatments include the ultraviolet-ray, hot fomentations, massage, and minor throat treatments. Mrs. H. M. Moseley, R. N., is on call at all times and is ably assisted by Misses Carmela Nebblett and Reita Hundly. Whenever you feel the need of medical attention, drop in and you're certain to leave feeling much better than you did when you entered.

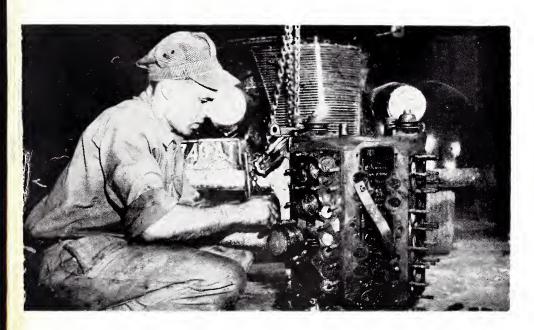
College Laundry



Engineering



H. KNIGHT, College Engineer



JOHN SIMONS working on motor in Engineering Shop

The Engineering department is a very active and important division of the college industries. It is under the directon of Hollis Knight, a recent graduate of the college. In conjunction with the Industrial Arts department, it takes care of the general maintenance of the campus utilities, which includes welding, plumbing, and electrical work. Thus, we see that there will be no dripping faucets, no short circuit, and no burst boilers, as the department keeps the campus fires burning. The department is responsible for the water supply, electric service maintenance, and heating systems of the entire compound. Due to the steady increase of work a jeep has been secured to accommodate the student employees in their daily assignments.

Administrative Officers

Manager



L. E. FORD, Business Manager

the Acorn, Oakwood has taken on several new aspects.

We now have a comfortable, up-to-date young women's dormitory, which consists of approximately 75 rooms, and will house one-hundred fifty girls. We also have a new Cafeteria with all modern equipment in the kitchen. There has been great improvement in the landscaping of the grounds, and the erection of a Sewage Disposal plant. At the present time we have a program on foot for a large dairy herd and cattle herd. Our farm has made progress to the extent that it has been selling hay and corn for the

Since the publication of the Anniversary Edition of

last two years. The College Store is enlarged and now is managed by Professor C. E. Galley, who is doing a wonderful job. Several other buildings have been added — the Industrial Arts Building, a temporary Science Building, and a new Laundry. This Laundry is doing a fine commercial business in the Huntsville area, and is increasing its volume of business every day. Several students have been able to work their way through college by working in the Laundry. Plans are being made for an expansion of our industrial facilities so that we will be able to aid more students in securing a Christian Education.

Treasurer



T. T. FRAZIER, Treasurer

Records and Finances both require constant vigilance and strict accounting. That is the responsibility of the treasury department. The treasurer's office requires the service of at least four individuals — a bookkeeper, a cashier, an accountant, and a treasurer. For the most part, students do the bookkeeping. In order to keep a continuous flow of trained bookkeepers on hand, one or two students are added to the office force each year. At the end of four years of practical experience gained while pursuing their college course, the students are quite thoroughly indoctrinated in the fundamentals of bookkeeping. They also learn the duties of a cashier by having to assume the responsibility of keeping in balance a petty cash fund, cashing checks, money orders, etc., and seeing that they are properly endorsed. The students learn how to make up bank deposits and replenish the petty cash fund.

Generally speaking, the head bookkeeper is responsible to the accountant, who in turn is responsible for the analysis and the proper set-up of accounts. Briefly, the duties of this department are as follows:

To make and keep a complete financial record of accounts with every student and teacher, such as:

 (a) labor credit;
 (b) room, laundry, and board charges
 (c) tuition.
 (d) tuition.
 (e) tuition.
 (f) to issue monthly statements to students and parents, as well as monthly financial statements to the Board of Trustees.
 (f) To make up semimonthly pay rolls for teachers.
 (g) To make up semimonthly pay rolls for teachers.
 (h) To keep an accurate record of all equipment and supplies.
 (h) To keep an accurate receive, disburse, and hold in trust all funds of the institution.
 (h) Regardless of what your present or future plans are, you should give some study to proper business procedures.
 (h) Oakwood College business department extends to you a cordial welcome.

Registrar

Registration day does not begin and end the activities of the Registrar. Procedures in the Registrar's Office cover a wide range of activities. Some have felt that when registration days are over, there is little of importance to do until the days arrive for the recording and sending of grades to parents, but a brief insight into the Registrar's will prove the contrary.

irst of all, the Registrar is secretary to the Admissions mittee; therefore, this office makes the initial contact every student whether he is a returning student or a lew student. This includes sending catalogues and answering all inquiries, planning and carrying out registration procedures, filling out and mailing enrollment blanks to the Veterans Administration office for all veterans who register.

Other duties include:

- 1. To prepare class and room schedules.
 - To prepare adequate reports for the denomination, the state, the U. S. government, and other organizations.
- To maintain clear cumulative records of enrollments according to geographical locations, records of grades, and attendance records.
- 4. To determine grade eligibility and student classification
- 5. To prepare inter-school transcripts for the transfer of students.



DOROTHY SMITH—
Mailing Catalogues

- 6. To prepare and distribute to parents periodic reports on the scholastic standing of students: also the preparation of honor rolls.
- To prepare a folder which contains personal and scholastic qualifications of the prospective graduates.
- 8. Besides administrative officers, who are constantly making inquiries which call for study, students come merely to ask "What is my grade point average?"

By spending one day in this office, any visitor would be definitely impressed with the multiplicty of opportunities for real work and the advantages in office training which are afforded part-time student assistants.

R. C. EDWARDS, Registrar, and part-time student assistant, ALICE COLLINS



Oakwood College Library Huntsville, Ala. 35806

United Student Movement



The United Student Movement of Oakwood College has gained an important place in the activities of the student body. No extra-curricular activity is of greater importance, for the Movement involves every student, and demands the support of every Oakwood College Student and Faculty member. Knowing that self-government is the best government, the Movement has, aside from the executive committee, a Faculty-Student Council to work out the problems facing the students. It also has a Committee whose duty it is to govern the social activities of the College, and it has proved an asset to the institution with its contributions. The publication of the "Spreading Oak," and the College annual, "The Acorn," along with the regular business of the association, afford many students an opportunity to take their places in worthwhile activities. The officers and all the branch committees of the organization are going the limit to make Oakwood College one of the best institutions in the South.

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,

And never brought to mind?

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,

And days o' auld lang syne?

—Robert Burns



Alpha Tau Delta



Alpha Tau Delta, the Commercial Honor Society, was organized April 21, 1948. The society is open to any business major or minor above Freshman classification who has received the necessary hours and grade point average in business subjects. In addition to the scholarship requirements, invitation to join the club is based on the individual's character and service to the Department of Commerce. ATD aims to encourage a higher scholarship average in the department, to foster good citizenship on the campus, to develop leadership, to encourage research by students, and to promote efficient preparation for greater service in the field of

business and the work of the Advent Movement. During its two years on the campus Alpha Tau Delta has made itself felt in student life by contributing to its own department, by bringing to the college family talent of outstanding worth, and by giving annually a scholarship to the business student who closes his Freshman year with the highest scholastic average. Since the organization of the society six of the nine charter members of the club have graduated and are now successfully employed. The three remaining charter members are members of the 1950 graduating class.

COLORS: RED AND WHITE

PRESIDENT	Minneola Dabney
VICE-PRESIDENT	Virginia Hughes
SECRETARY-TREASURER	Lovey Davis
CHAPLAIN	Muriel Hutchins
FACULTY SPONSORS	Miss Dolores Henderson Professor Charles Galley Professor C. A. Pitter

Epsilon Sigma

An assembly of good fellows, meeting under certain conditions.

-Dictionary.

This is a society for every male student enrolled in the college. The purpose of this organization is to promote a more perfect development of the spiritual, intellectual, social and cultural pursuits, and to ensure the blessings of liberty and progress to ourselves and our successors. During the year the EPSILON SIGMA presents many benefit programs in order to make our campus homes more comfortable and college life enjoyable. In the past two years, this society has converted the former Dining Hall into a beautiful and well-arranged Lounge. They have also secured a fountain for Irwin Hall, the college men's home.

President Sylvester Allen	Treasurer S. Fitzpatrick
Vice-President Louis Offlee	Chaplain Isadore Evans
Secretary F. Valentine	Parliamentarian Sam-Pierre-Louis



Kappa Mu Delta



Offlee Middleton Whidbee

Battle Nukes Partridge

Here is a group that leads in campus politics, athletics, scholastic averages and social activities. Pledges are chosen as they come, whether they are potential Einsteins or just men keeping above average, but the membership is restricted to Junior and Senior college male students with some outstanding work done in one or two fields; thus, the most outstanding men of the college are under its banners. The members of KAPPA MU DELTA maintain representation in most of the campus activities, the College Choir, United Student Movement, Alabama Singers, and The Acorn. Each year they take the lead in social activities. Many times during the year, you may see the brothers together in the Dining Hall for dinner around lighted

candles and listening to informal after-dinner speeches.

Many of the ladies can recall the breakfast that was
held in the Irwin Hall Lounge, really an affair of
distinction. These social functions, along with banquets and formals, are only some of the many ways
this organization is building campus spirit. KAPPA
MU DELTA encourages scholastic standing by check-

MU DELTA encourages scholastic standing by checking on each brother to see that he keeps ahead in his studies, because this is the source of leadership. The alumni of Oakwood College that have been members of the KAPPA MU DELTA, are now holding outstanding positions in the field. When one looks at this group, one seess the future leaders and a valuable

asset to their Alma Mater.

President	Louis Offlee	Secretary	Emerton Whidbee
Vice-President	Solomon Outlaw	Treasurer	Festus Valentine
	Faculty Sponsor	G. Partridge	

Gamma Sigma Kappa



MOTTO: "HONOR, FIDELITY, AND COURAGE"

The Gamma Sigma Kappas have united to develop lovable traits of young womanhood and Christian character. The organization aims to give each member the opportunity to expand, develop, and exercise

her ability to serve actively and effectively in all the varied situations that life offers. The goal of the

organization is Achievement. After ending a successful school year, it is a pleasure to look back upon what the club has accomplished to better Oakwood College. The members of the club not only work faithfully with other clubs to promote worthy projects, but also find time to provide wholesome recreation for one another.



TURNER C. BATTLE, III

The

Oakwood College feels justly proud to be able to place before you the ACORN. Within this volume is the story and picture record of events, friends, teachers, visitors, and everything that has made the past school year a reality. The 1950 ACORN has aimed to highlight the most important activities of the year, in the hope that it will waft sweet reminiscences in the years to come of the happy days spent on the campus during 1949-50. Turner C. Battle, the Editor-in-Chief, has been a student-teacher at the College for several years, and views college life from two perspectives — that of student and that of teacher. From his analysis of college life and organizations, he has been able to weave a web of loveliness around this volume that makes it more than a picture book. The success of the ACORN must be attributed to the untiring efforts and excellent co-operation of the staff; but without our able advisor, Professor C. A. Pitter, the job would have been a more difficult one. Under his direction the staff was willing to sacrifice hours of study, recreation, and personal appointments to put in hard work, often extending into the late hours of the night in an effort to meet the printer's deadline. The staff has endeavored to present a worthwhile representation of life at Oakwood College that should enhance school spirit and a kindred interest in all the divisions of the College. We are happy to send out to you the ACORN for 1950.

WYCLIFFE JANGDHARI



REITA HUNDLEY



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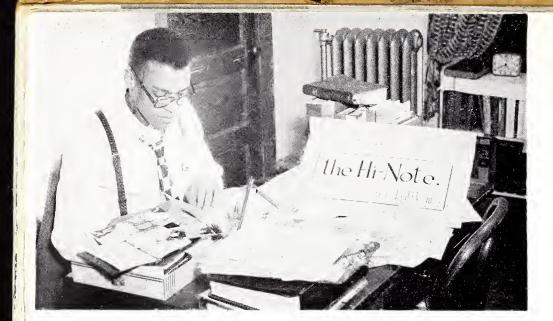




RAY SIMONS

MR. C. A. PITTER





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Spreading Oak

The spirit and enthusiasm of Oakwood College is reflected to its readers by the Spreading Oak, official organ of the United Student Movement. The circulation touches nearly 40 states in the union. The S. O. offers opportunity for students with journalistic aptitude and ability to develop their talent by reporting events and contributing articles to the publication. On that day in each month on which the paper is

ready for circulation, nothing can deflect the attention of every campus citizen from eagerly reading the Spreading Oak. Pleasantries and comradeship in work more than compensates for the long weary hours that the staff must work, and the headaches to meet deadlines, and the writer's cramps from editing and correcting copy.

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Oakwood Chamber of Commerce

The Oakwood Chamber of Commerce was organized in 1945 by Professor C. E. Galley, head of the Oakwood Commercial Department. The objectives of the Chamber are to contribute toward the advancement of business education, to promote leadership within the department, to improve the caliber of business students, and to provide a medium through which the students might work toward a more progressive department. During the past five years, the membership of the department has increased rapidly, and now em-

braces approximately 100 students who are majoring or minoring in Business. Recently the Chamber of Commerce terminated an equipment campaign and presented an A. B. Dick electric mimeograph machine to the Commercial Department of the College. The instructors in the Oakwood College Business Department are working through the Chamber of Commerce to instill into the mind of the student the fact that "Christian principles are the best basis — the last word in economics."

President	 Festu	ıs Val	entine
Secretary	 I	ovey	Davis
Sponsor	 Prof.	C. E.	Galley



House Council



The House Council of Cunningham Hall is one of the recent organizations for College women. The purpose is to provide for social edification and to make the girls feel more at home when they reside in Cunningham Hall. February 25 marked a great hit in the history of this organization. It was the presentation of the "Pre-Spring Variety Program." The men of the college will long remember the untiring efforts the ladies put forth to promote friendly and social service.

Chairman	Rosa	Lee	Woo	dward
Secretary		Pa	tricia	Berry
Faculty Sponsor			Alma	Tibbs



Veteran's Organization

He was tall and black and brawny;
He was big and young and strong.
He looked every inch a soldier
As I saw him march along . . .
—Bessie Brent Winston.

The Veteran's Organization was organized in 1946. Since then its growth has been successful. The Veteran's Organization has launched many profitable campaigns which will long be remembered by the College. Among the recent campaigns is the giving of a scholarship award to a student in the College. The student receiving the scholarship award was ushered into the Truth by Brother Earl Howard, a veteran. Among the members of the organization are men who have served in all theaters of the Armed Forces, participated in many war campaigns, and one who was a prisoner of war. Brother Rothacker Smith, the only prisoner of war in the organization, is not only a professor at the College but also the club sponsor. The Veterans Organization hopes to continue to press forward to the mark of the high calling of Jesus Christ.

S. A. Hutchins	President
Alonzo Banks	Vicc-President
Lindsay Thomas, Jr.	Secretary
Joseph Hinson	Treasurer
Ralph Hairston	Chaplain





Master Comrades

For a number of years the Missionary Volunteer Society has sponsored the Progressive Classes as one of its activities. Directed by Milton Nebblett, this group of Volunteers have met the prescribed requirements of the Master Comrade Class. The Class members derived the most pleasure from meeting their nature requirements. The early morning hikes over Oakwood's one thousand acres; star-gazing under the Southern sky; and tree and bird identification, all contribute to the romance of studying God's great out-of-doors. They also do first-aid, bandaging, hydrotherapy, and the other phases of home nursing.

OFFICERS

William McMillen I	President
Virginia Hughes S	Secretary
Oliver WassonT	'reasurer
Milton Nebblett	Director
J. J. Justiss	Sponsor

THE TEMPERANCE SOCIETY

Among the many organizations at Oakwood College,

the Temperance Society occupies a place of prominence. The organization seeks to develop an enlightened public opinion which, by voice and pen and vote, should demand of contemporary law-makers the complete eradication of the liquor traffic. This group, in believing that alcoholic beverages and tobacco are not only harmful to the individual but also detrimental to society, promises with God's help to abstain from all intoxicating beverages and tobacco in all its forms. Each member pledges to do what he can to combat the evil effects of the liquor traffic by all available means. They constantly seek to recruit signers to the total abstinence pledge.

OFFICERS

Frank Stokes	President
Odessa Savage	Secretary
Oliver Wasson	Treasurer
Elder E. E. Rogers	Advisor

Temperance Society





Pan American Club

To foster a closer relationship between foreign and American students of the College, is the reason for this club. The greatest objective of the club is to give concrete information to students and teachers about the opportunities for advancement in all branches of educational and missionary work outside of the United States. This club is also the source of first-hand information concerning travel for tourists in many foreign countries. Membership in this club has not been limited to students and teachers from the Americas, but from all parts of the world. The mem-

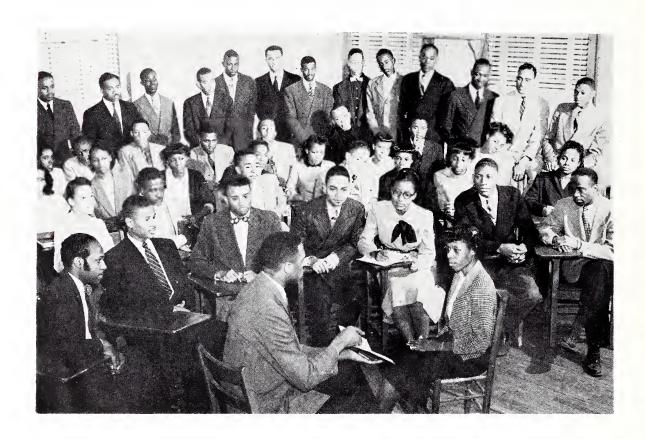
bers come from the Philippine Islands, India, Nigeria,
Barbados, Puerto Rico, Republic of Hounduras,
Egyptian Sudan, the Bahamas, Sierra Leone, Guatemala, Trinidad, Liberia, Cuba, Haiti, Jamaica, and
many other countries. Each year they foster banquets
at which different kinds of native foods are served and
one can feel as though one is in one's own country.
This is one of the fastest growing clubs on the campus
and as its motto, has chosen: "Excelsior" and as its
aim "To the Stars though the heights be steep."

Progress, we know, will be steady and sure.

President	R. Leopold Holness
Vice-President	Leslie Crawford
Secretary-Treasurer	W. Jang Dhari
Asst. Secretary-Treasu	rerNaomi White
Parliamentarian	E. Vincent Philip
Chaplain	Benson Andre'
Sponsor	Prof. C. A. Pitter



Colporteur Club



This organization is designed to develop in Christian young students a desire to go out from this institution each summer and earn scholarshps while placing truth-filled literature into homes. The scholarship will enable them to continue their Christian education the following year. The aim of the club is to uphold Christ

in every endeavor. The Southern Union Conference sponsors a Colporteur Institute each year, giving sound instruction in the fundamental principles of good salesmanship. This work is to prepare each member for the service in this world and the world of the hereafter.

President	Louis Offlee
Vice-President	George Rainey
Secretary	Minneola Dabney
Assistant Secretary	Marian Blevins
Treasurer	John Smith
Chaplain	George Nealey
Faculty Advisor	Prof. T. Cantrell

Future Teachers of America



The Anna Knight Chapter of the Future Teachers of America is one of the prominent clubs of the college.

It is the only club that has membership with a

national organization, that being the NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION. The college will long remember the Education Week that this group presented. They have always had outstanding educators to address the institution on these occasions,

Dr. Eva Hayes of Atlanta University, Dr. F. S. Hutchins of Berea College, Ky., and this year, Dr. F. D.

Patterson, president of Tuskegee Institute, Alabama. With this as a background, the club has been able to

reach their objectives: "To develop ideas, to enrich
the spirit of the college life, to advance the interest of
the teaching profession, to promote the welfare of
children, to foster the education of all Seventh-day

Adventist youth, and to prepare for leadership." It is a tradition of the club to give a scholarship each year to a worthy Academic senior who, upon graduation, endeavors to follow teaching as a profession. This club has been one of the working bodies to secure funds for the erection of a new Education building, which we

trust will soon be constructed.

President	James Middleton
Vice-President	Helen Miller
Sceretary	Millicent Ford
Treasurer	Albert Bliss
Chaplain	Ralph Hairston
Advisor	Natelka E. Burrell

Alabama Singers

This organization, comprised of male voices, was organized in 1931 under Professor Joseph Dent, and became the "Alabama Singers" under Professor O. B. Edwards in 1935, and has since travelled under that name, directed by Professor O. A. Troy, and Professor C. E. Moseley, Jr., successively. When one hears this group sing, one is moved to tears, laughter, or divine inspiration. They specialize in Negro spirituals, arranged by the director of the organization, Elder C. E. Moseley, Jr. Only a select group of men comprises the membership, and that by special invitation.

Members of "The Alabama Singers" do not receive class credit for participation in the organization — they sing because they like to sing, whether it be the sounding the marine high C, or the ponderant depth of low F. With the singing of hymns, ballads, anthems, folk songs, classics, and Negro spirituals they have thrilled audiences from California's West Coast to New York's eastern seaboard including colleges, high schools, the Kiwanis Clubs, private families, and uncountable thousands of listeners over the air.



ELDER
C. E. MOSELEY, JR.
and the
ALABAMA
SINGERS

College Choir



Playing an important part in the cultural, and religious life of Oakwood College, is the College Choir. Aside from singing to aid the religious services of the institution, they present the Handel's Messiah annually during the Yuletide Season. Standard a capella works and anthems, works of modern composers, and Negro spirituals, especially arranged for the choir constitute their repertorie. Each Sabbath, at the eleven o'clock service, more than fifty members unite to swell their voices of praise to God in song. One of the most outstanding events of the year is the Spring Concert

given by this highly skilled group. The permanent membership of the organization is selected by the director, Dr. Eva B. Dykes, after satisfactory auditions.

Any person who is connected with the group must attend all rehearsals and respect all the regulations.

The objective and aim of the College Choir is to train each member to sing well. Dr. Eva B. Dykes who is director of this group is not only accomplished in the field of English but also in instrumental and vocal music.

President	George Rainey
Vice-President	Horace Barker
Secretary	Deborah Young
Librarians	Vivianne Watson Millicent Ford Lorenzo Paytee
Chaplain	William McMillen

Science Guild



The Oakwood Science Guild was organized for the purpose of creating a greater interest in scientific studies; of effecting improvement in the Department of Science; and of promoting a greater interest in science for scientific-minded students. In the past few years the organization has conducted many interesting scientific lectures, debates and open forums. It keeps

the student body well informed on the latest happenings in the world of science, all the way from amoeb to the Hydrogen Bomb. The social aspects of this club are well known because they present many enjoyable events during the year that brighten the social side of college life. This organization, because of its versatility, is indeed an asset to our campus.

President	Lorenzo Paytee
Assoc. Presidents	Joyce Saulter W. Jang Dhari
Executive Secretary	Ruby Gilbert
Recording Secretary	Betty Tynes
Chaplain	Julius Johnson
Treasurer	Nunery Moseley
Parliamentarian	Sam Pierre-Louis
Faculty Advisors	C. Gentry T. Cantrell R. Smith
Faculty Sponsors	Prof. N. Banks Miss Longware

Oakwood College Seminar

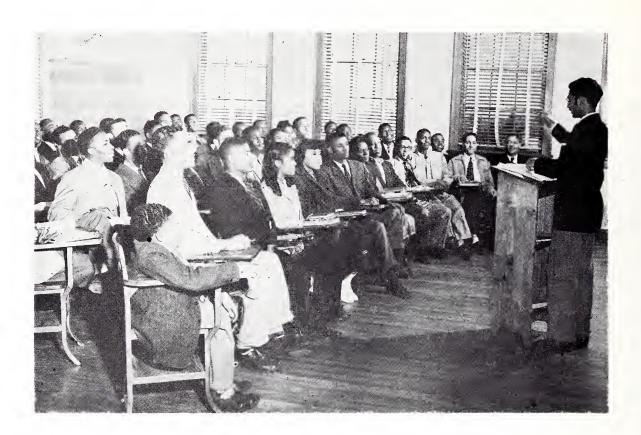


The Oakwood Seminar is greatly beneficial to the Department of Religion, for under careful and authoritative guidance it approves correctness, rectifies awkwardness and error, and confirms the Fatherhood of God and Brotherhood of man. The purpose of the Seminar is to promote a better understanding of old and new religious philosophies, and to provide a deeper insight for problems peculiar to the ministerial experience. Especially does it aid the future minister by familiarizing him with some of the different prob-

lems in religion which may confront him after graduation. One of the following topics would be analyzed in a typical evening session: "The Palestinian Question," "Health Reform," "Reasons for Rebaptism," "Love, Courtship, and Marriage," or "Christmas, Should We Celebrate It?" The influence of the Oakwood College Seminar has helped some of the most outstanding clergymen and missionaries in the denomination. Elder C. E. Moseley, Jr., is sponsor of this organization.

President	Samuel Stovall		
Vice-President	John Wright		
Secretary	Helen Brooks		
Assistant Secretary	Ophilia Odom		
Treasurer	Eugene Gulley		
Chaplain	Ralph Hairstone		
Chorister	John Smith		
Corresponding Secretary	Rebecca Riley		

International Relations Club



The aim of this club is to study the conditions of the world's present social orders and compare them with the past. It is an asset to any person in the college who is interested in keeping abreast of the latest happenings in the world. At many meetings guest speakers give lectures on different topics in the field of thought. Many who have given these lectures either have been natives of the countries about which they speak, or have visited or lived in them for sometime. Thus, the individual connected with this group is kept in contact with most world happenings and how they affect the native and his attitude toward the environment in which he is placed. The general

objective of the International Relations Club is to create a sympathetic feeling towards all countrie nations, and races of our world. The local objectives of the club is to be of profound help in building unhigher scholarship among the students in the History

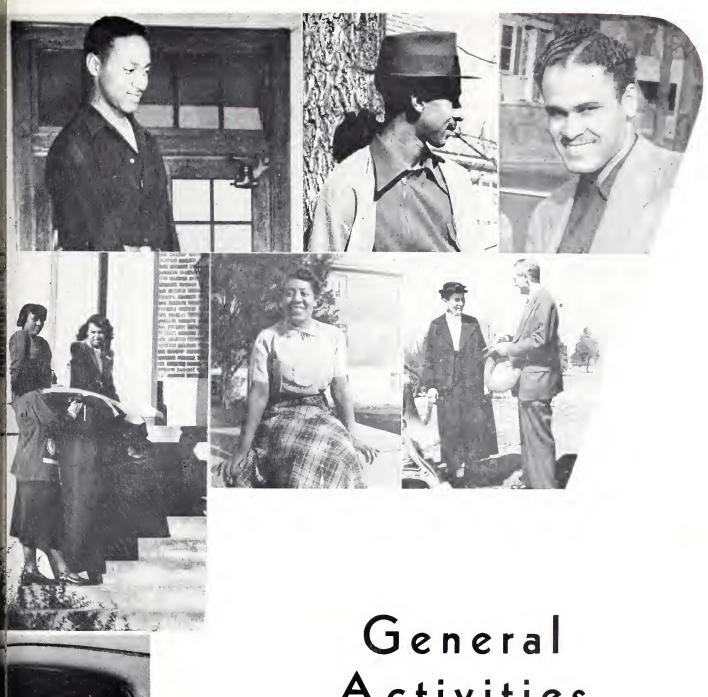
Department. Each year a cash prize is given to the student that has written the best term paper in the department. In the past years the club has been instrumental in improving study conditions of the college by donating funds to purchase additional volumes for the library. The International Relations

Club is one of the largest working bodies on the campus.

President		Fra	nk Jones
Secretary		Muriel R.	Hutchins
Treasurer		Emerton	Whidbee
Librarian		Jacqueline	Mathieu
Parliamen	tarian	Horac	e Barker
Faculty		Dean O. B.	Edwards

A man's real possession is his memory. In nothing else is he rich, in nothing else is he poor.

—Alexander Smith



Activities

Memories

Now-a-days our memories of Oakwood are based upon stories, poetry, songs, and photographs. No longer can we participate in vespers, hikes, and campus dates or re-live the wonderful scenes of those days, - scenes that have fled swiftly into the past. College days have gone like a robe, dropped from the shoulders of a dancer in some flashing roundelay. Their memories creep slowly and quietly through our minds regardless of where we are or what we are doing. Through each heart a streak of laughter echoes or from our eyes tears revealing the glory of Auld Lang Syne moisten our cheeks, but we wipe our eyes and before our vision, clear and bright are the friends, classmates, and teachers of yesterday, all full of beauty, strength, and power. As we turn the pages of Oakwood's family album, let us allow our minds to wander over the stages of our school-days of yesteryear. Recall those memories of classmates, socials, movies, parties, clubs, hikes, and warm friends; they are all before us as new as if they had happened yesterday. We will realize as never before that the real Oakwood with its squirrels, rolling lawns, and beautiful surroundings is only a whisper set to a swaying melody and sung from the familiar voices of her followers. These voices belong to those that sat in the vespers, participated in campus activities, longed to be home, shared in hopes of a greater tomorrow, and pledged to be true to dear ole Oakwood. Now that those days have gone, we, along with friends and relatives, must sit in silence letting our hearts and minds wade joyfully in this pool of memories, hear the voices of our friends and loved ones, see the vari-colored leaves fall one by one to the ground, eye a little squirrel glide from tree to tree, or join a group on the way to classes. Remember, these scenes have all gone, but we can still see the familiar faces of those who make the silhouetts of our memories.



Family Life

WAGNER FAMILY



PETERSON FAMILY

MARJORIE and the first PETERSON "GRAND" (Her Contribution)



College Homes



F. L. PETERSON'S HOME





TEACHERS' COTTAGES



Trailerville

"Along the cool sequestered vale of life,

They kept the noiseless tenor of their way."

—Thomas Gray



HOUSE TRAILERS

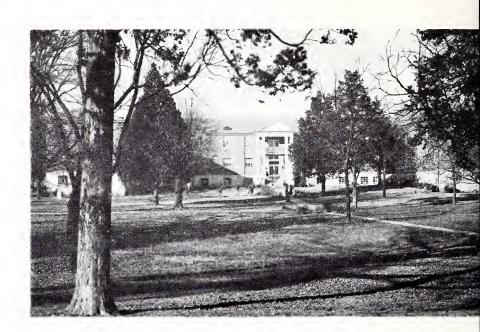
JOHN SIMONS AND FAMILY



''Dorr



DEAN TIBBS







"Dorm" Life is one of the best parts of college routine, compounded of regimented food, of bull sessions, of underground friends which now and then come to the surface like a streak of lightning. This life is most active in the evenings when groups gather in rooms for a brief chat. This affects even

the most pious individuals, and often
these persons are sounding away like
new trumpets. It means fads that
spread life wild fire through the dorm
and die out in a week; it means using
the peanut butter knife or cooking
choplets in the cooking room, having
dates and comparing notes, or borrow-

ing soap. Dorm Life is regulated by

Life



S. A. BRANTLEY, Dean of College Men. and his two assistants

bells and clocks and "don't do this" or "don't do that." It is corsages, formals, picnics, cold floors, and six to ten people in your room when you want to study. It is looking out of the window, daydreaming of "far away places." It is a rush to the Parlor to see who is singing. It is a reception room full of dates on Saturday nights and Sunday evenings and someone yelling from the first floor to the third. It is the hungry rush for food or impatiently waiting for mail. We always look for the new tomorrow and yesterday is always the same, but it is "Dorm" Life and we love it.







Work - Play - Leisure



Youth with swift feet walks onward in the way

The land of joy lies all before his eyes;

Age, stumbling, lingers slowly day by day,

Still looking back, for it behind him lies.

Fail not for sorrow, falter not for sin,

But onward, upward, till the goal ye win!

—Frances Anne Butler



College Church

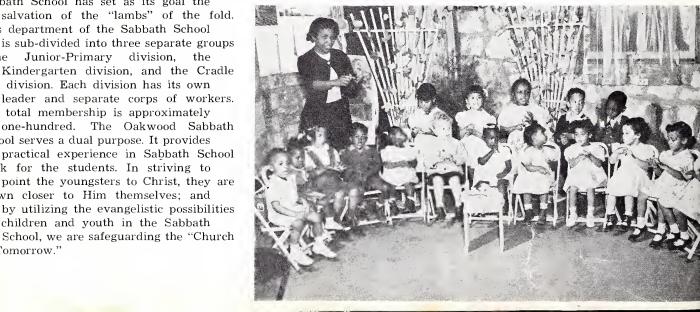
"LET ALL THE PEOPLE PRAISE THEE."

No student who has passed through the portals of Oakwood has ever lost the memory and the inspiration of the church services in the college chapel. Long after they have ceased to reminisce upon the exciting afternoon games and evenings of recreation or the stunning problems in mathematics and baffling exercises in Englsh, the hauntng mists of tune from the college choir and the venerable, inspiring, and satisfying word "in due season" will be wafted down memory's lane like a whisper of love, reminding them that the journey is almost done. The college church seeks to train the members to be "workers together with God," by taking an active part in all the annual campaigns, and make their goal a harvest of souls withal.



The Junior Department of the Oakwood Sabbath School has set as its goal the salvation of the "lambs" of the fold. This department of the Sabbath School is sub-divided into three separate groups —the Junior-Primary division, the Kindergarten division, and the Cradle Roll division. Each division has its own leader and separate corps of workers. The total membership is approximately one-hundred. The Oakwood Sabbath School serves a dual purpose. It provides practical experience in Sabbath School work for the students. In striving to point the youngsters to Christ, they are drawn closer to Him themselves; and by utilizing the evangelistic possibilities for children and youth in the Sabbath

of Tomorrow."

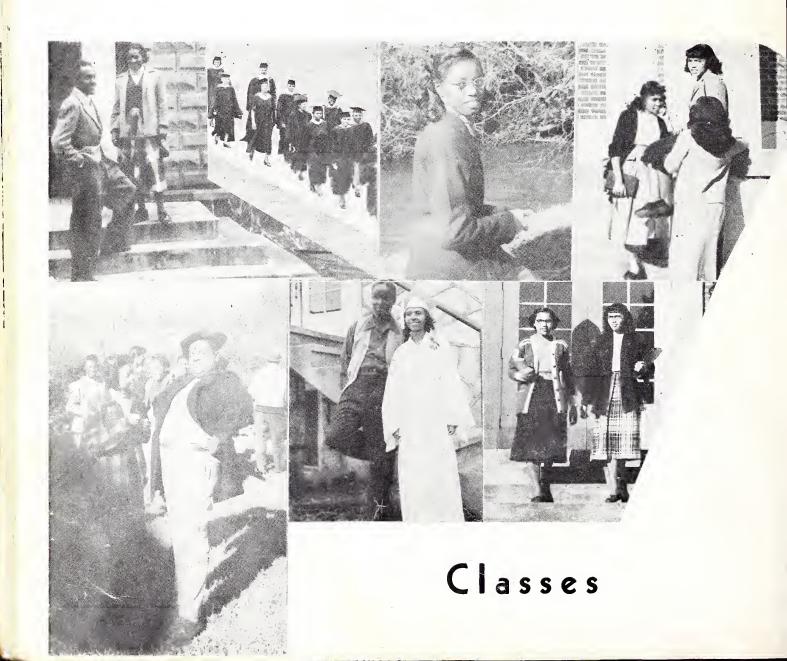


Oakwood College Station



The Oakwood College Post Office became an official branch of the Hunstville Post Office in March, 1948, and was given the title of "Oakwood College Rural Station." Like most of the regular branches, the "Oakwood Rural Station" gives six day a week service to its patrons. Mail goes out daily, and the branch renders the additional service of mail delivery on holidays. Students and community residents may purchase stamps, postal cards, stamped envelopes, and money orders from the post office, as well as send registered mail, C. O. D., special delivery, and parcel post shipments. In fact, the services are as varied as would be found in any of the regular branches. Although the number of patrons served by this station is only about 500, the Oakwood College Rural Station's volume of mail is comparable to that of other stations which serve a wider area. During a recent month, it collected 5,531 pieces of mail, and delivered 9,937 items. Employees of the post office are living up to its motto—unqualified service to our small community.

CLASSES - FUN ACTIVITIES - GRADUATION



First Class of the Fifties



SAMUEL FLAGG, President Major—Religion Minor—History

> HELEN LOUISE BROOKS, Asst. Sec. Major—Education, English Minor—Bible

DOROTHY CARTWRIGHT-THORN, Sec. Major—Business Administration
Minor, Bible, English

CLEVELAND TIVY Major—Religion Minor—History

ROLAND W. NEWMAN Major—Religion Minor—History

GWENDOLYN JONES
Major—Secretarial Science
Minor—English



GLENNIE GRAY RUCKER 2-Year Bible Instructor

> TURNER CHARLES BATTLE, III Major—Religion Minor—Fine Arts

BENJAMIN A. ROBINSON Major—Biology Minor—Bible

PAULINE RAINEY
Major—Religion
Minor—Elementary Education

MARY JEAN RICKS, Asst. Treas. Major—Secretarial Science Minor—English

> LOUIS CALLOWAY OFFLEE Major—Spanish Minor—Bible

GEORGE HENRY RAINEY, Treas. Major—Religion Minor—History

MARTHA JANE RICKS
Major—Elementary Education
Minor—Bible

ROSE MARIE VAUGHN Major—Elementary Education, Music Minor—Bible

ROBERT HARRIS CARTER Major—Religion Minor—History



EMERTON CONRAD WHIDBEE

Major—History
Minor—Spanish, Education

HELENE ISABELLE MILLER
Major—French, Elementary
Education.
Minor—Bible

IMOGENE EDWEANA ALLEN Pre-Nursing

WYCLIFFE K. C. S. JANG DHARI SINGH Major—Biology Minor—Religion

HAROLD LLOYD NORMAN Major—Secondary Education, English Minor—Religion

VIRGINIA ESTELLE HUGHES Major—Secretarial Science Minor—English

REITA HELENE HUNDLEY Pre-Nursing

SOLOMON OUTLAW
Major—History
Minor—Industrial Education

FESTUS HOWARD VALENTINE Major—Business Administration Minor—English

LOIS JEAN HUNDLEY
Major—Secretarial Science
Minor—English



CORNELIA LAURETTA NORTH
Major—Business Administration
Minor—Religion

HORACE McDONALD BARKER Major—Religion Minor—History

ROSCOE KNIGHT
Major—Religion
Minor—History

REBECCA RAWENA RILEY
Major—Elementary Education,
Spanish
Minor—English

JUANITA MAE MITCHELL Major—History Minor—Elementary Education

GEORGE WILLIAM NEALEY
Major—Religion
Minor—History

MILTON ELMER NEBBLETT Major—Religion Minor—History

CARMELA ALBERTA NEBBLETT Pre-Nursing

PEGGY ELENORE THOMPSON Major—Biology Minor—Religion

JAMES L. MOUZON
Major—Secondary Education,
Mathematics
Minor—Religion



DONALD WILLIAMS
Major—Religion
Minor—History

BESSIE LEE ALLEN
Major—Elementary Education, Bible
Minor—English

DOROTHY LEE GILBERT, Vice-President Major—Elementary Education, Religion Minor—English

> FRANK LORIS JONES Major—Religion Minor—History

WILLIE PEMBLETON Major—Religion Minor—History

> MURIEL ROBERTA HUTCHINS Major—Secretarial Science Minor—English, Music

GRACE WILLINA FISHER
Major—Biology
Minor—Chemistry

JOHN CONWAY SMITH, JR. Major—Religion Minor—History

CHARLES C. EATON Major—Religion Minor—History

> ELDORA JAMES EATON 2-Year Bible Instructor



FRANKIE LEE MITCHELL Major—Religion Minor—Biology

SIDNEY FITZPATRICK
Major—Business Administration
Minor—Religion

EDWARD BRYANT Major—Religion Minor—History

REBECCA ROBERTA HIGHTOWER
Major—Bible
Minor—Elementary Education

GERALDINE McQUERRY
Pre-Nursing

CLARENCE E. BUMBRY, Chaplain Major—Religion Minor—History

EARL JENNINGS LEWIS Major—Religion Minor—History

KATIE MAE WALKER
Major—Business Administration
Minor—Secretarial Science

GWENDOLYN ALICE DENT Pre-Nursing

LEWIS DUKE HENDERSON Major—Religion Minor—History



JASPER JOHNSON Major—Religion Minor—History

ALICE LEWIS

Major—Elementary Education

Minor—Bible

TRULA WADE

Major—Elementary Education

Minor—English

CHARLES R. CRAIG Major—Religion Minor—History

CORNELIUS HILL Major—Religion Minor—Education

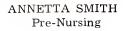
BEATRICE ELIZABETH TYNES
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DELILAH MAE CUSTARD Major—Mathematics Minor—Education

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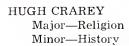
BESSIE E. BROGDEN Pre-Nursing

WYLIE HUGHES
Pre-Nursing





EVELYN GRAVES
Pre-Nursing





Sponsor—Degreed Candidates: PROF. N. BANKS

Seniors not pictured:

SYLVESTER THEODORE ALLEN
Major—Physical Science
Minor—Mathematics

HENRIETTA GRANDERSON
Major—Biology
Minor—Elementary Education

ETHEL TURNER PEMBLETON 2-Year Bible Instructor

RETROSPICERE

Written in anticipation of the reminiscences of the Class of '50 thirty years hence.

How our hearts thrill with warmth as we sit in retrospection.

As we ponder o'er our college days—just three decades ago.

We were carefree, blithe, indifferent, with not the least "suspection"

That life was full of troubles, heartache, pain and woe.

Remember the Library, and the old college bell, How on Halloween night, it rang loud and clear? Remember in winter how the "Oakwood" rain fell From morning to night on the days dark and drear?

What experiences we had in the Ingathering Campaign As we worked with a will for the cause of our Lord. We labored, walked, and struggled, and never did complain;

We worked for the victory of a heavenly reward.

Remember the ruts in the old Oakwood road?

We bumped along over them in our fancy school bus.

The bus turned over and spilled all its load,

And the students crawled out all covered with dust.

On Oakwood's one thousand acres of sod
We had many gentry of worth.
There was Dave and his auto named the "Rod"
He constantly filled us with mirth.

Remember the Spreading Oak battle and strife? It certainly was hard to save.

Collins and Nukes gave it new life—

Brought it back from the brink of the grave.

The dear old "Rec Hall"—what fond memories it brings; Oh, the hours we spent there in sport!
We had marches, games, and community sings.
We even went there to court.

Ah, those good, old days we can never recall.

Three cheers for the girls of Cunningham Hall!

Three cheers for the fellows—stalwart, upright, and thrifty!

A six-gun salute to the Classmates of Fifty.

—Gwendolyn Jones

Under Classmen



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	R. J	Bates		P. Bullock		W. Conway		L. Davis		B. Furman
В.	Andre		N. Broadna	S.	G.	Coleman	B. Dabney		I. Evans	
	D.	Blake		O. Cheatham		M. Copeland		W. Dean		J. Gains
R. 1	Baker		C. Brooks		M.	Coleman	M. Dabney		J. Follette	
	E. I	Blaylock		W. Cheatham		C. Cox		W. DeShay		C. Gadsofn
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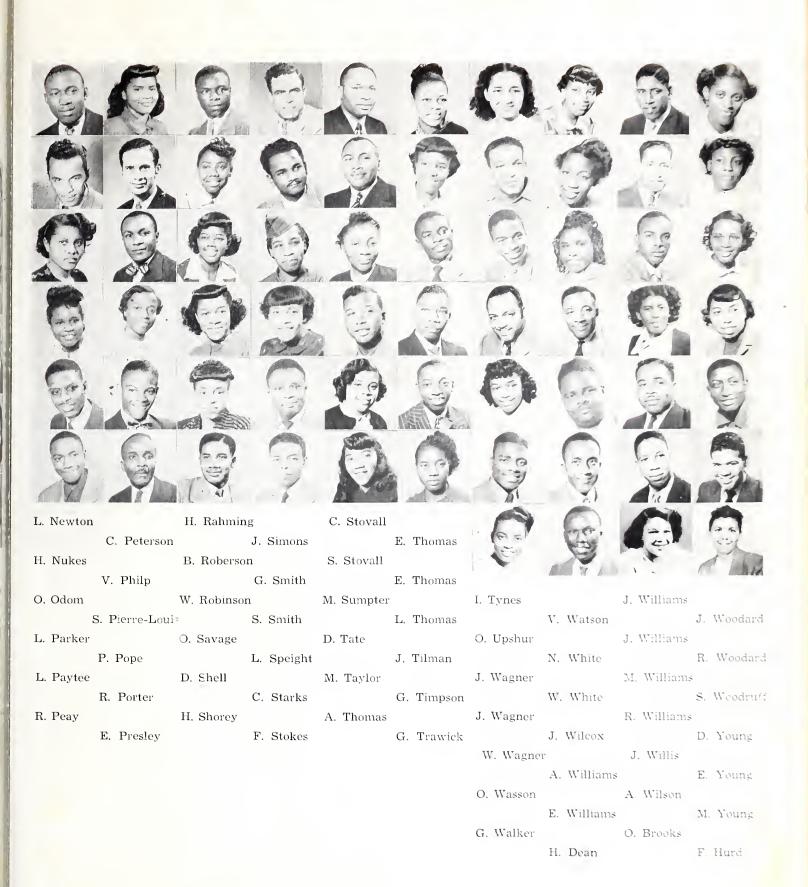
R. Blue

J. Dogette

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	E. Heath		M. Irwin		M. Jones		B. Manuel		L. Mitchell
C. Gordon		G. Howard		A. Jones		J. Lashley		S. McGhee	
	L. Hickson		W. Jackson		R. Jones		L. Martin		P. Moore
A. Gouldbo	urne	G. Howell		E. Jones		J. Lee		L. McKinno	on
	E. Hider		F. James		S. Jones		J. Masters		N. Moseley



In the following pages of this annual, you will have the opportunity to glance at the Oakwood Academy with its fine staff of teachers and energetic students.

This Academy is one that we are very proud to present and introduce to you. Its faculty has dedicated their lives to the training of youth for the service of God. The students are a very outstanding group of young people who have come to Oakwood Academy for training that will enable them to carry this Gospel of the kingdom to all the world.

BERNICE ROY, Assistant Editor



From Our Principal's Desk



Someone has said, "Education is the apprenticeship of life." In this process of education, the academy years are important ones. Mastering your academy

work completes the first necessary step toward a useful career — where one can prove to oneself and to others that one has the intellectual ability to succeed

in a higher course of study. The world needs you. And the first objective of Oakwood College Academy is to teach and inspire the youth to consecrate their

lives and talents to work for God. That you drift not along unaware of your potentialities, we demand the best of you, realizing the need for the full use of your talents. Remember

"Learning by study must be won:

'Twas ne'er entailed from sire to son."

To prospective students, we extend a sincere invitation to join us for another pleasant year!

MRS. S. A. BRANTLEY, B. A., M. A.



are a part of us.



We are very proud of the members of the Academy Faculty. We are not only proud of them because of their achievements but because they

The staff consists of the following:

Mr. John Beale, B. A., Instructor of Bible.

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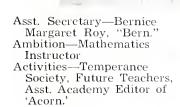
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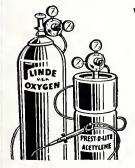
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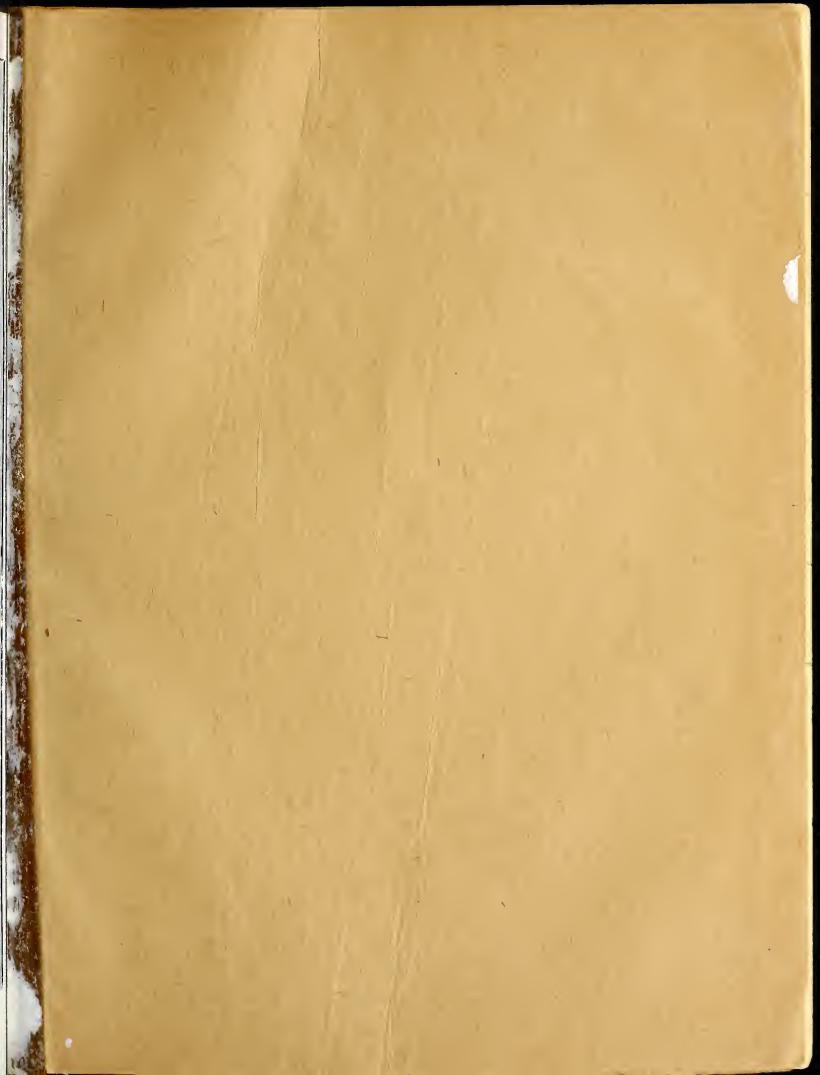
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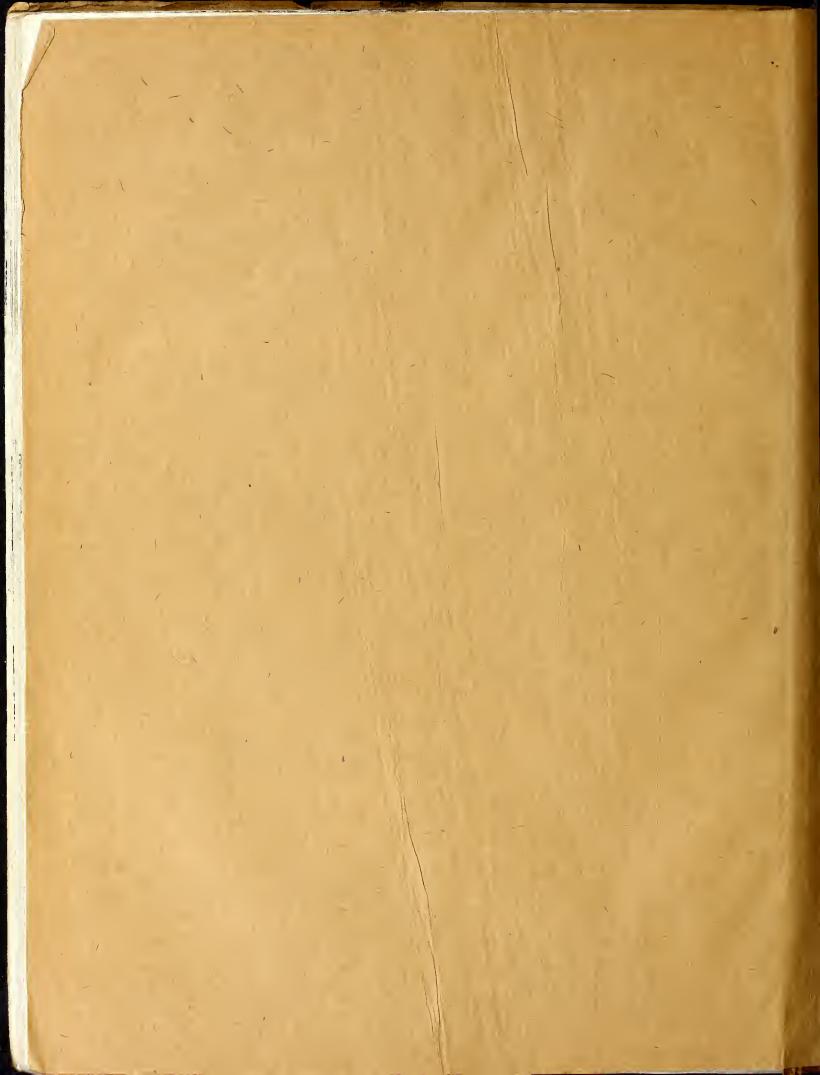
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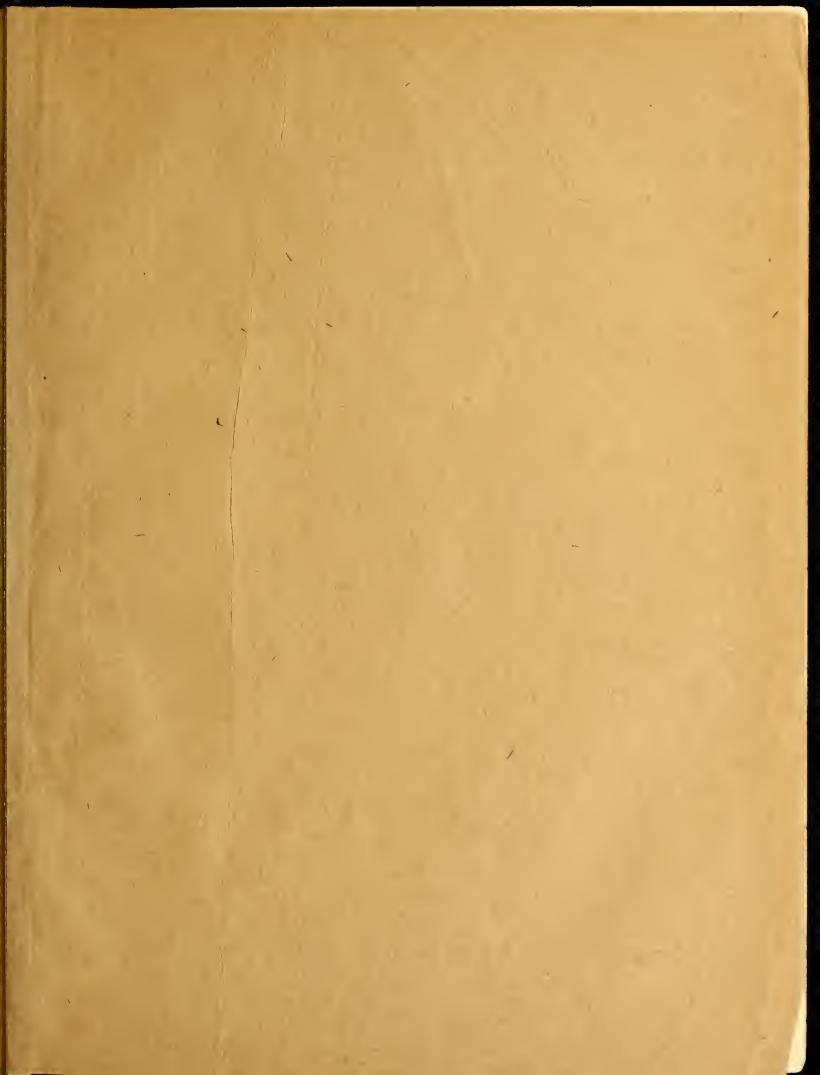
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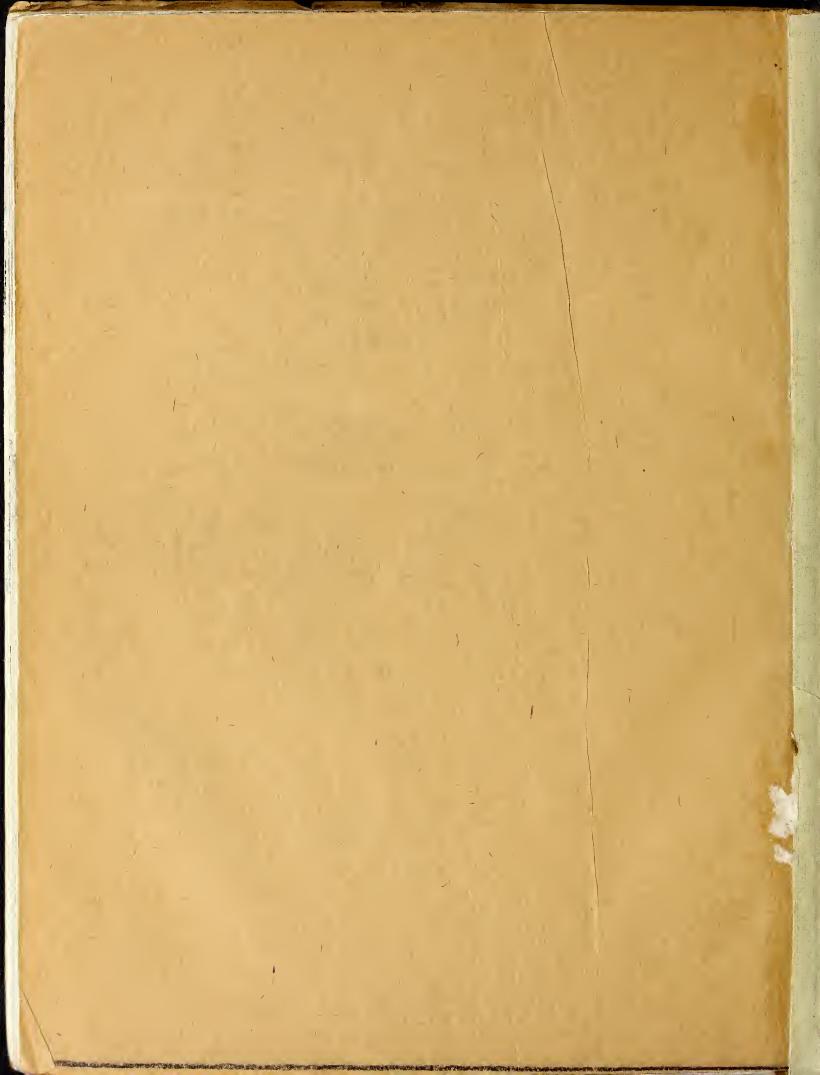
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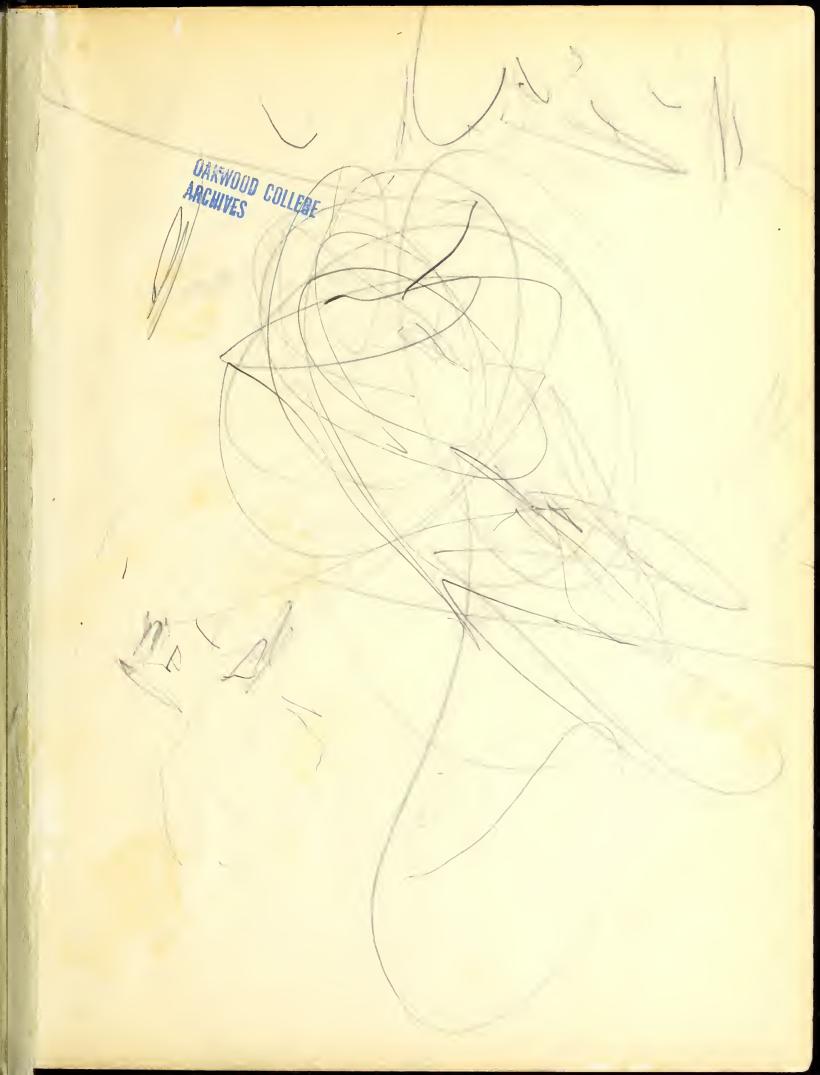
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